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TAGS: TGEN, UNESCO  
SUBJECT: ESTABLISHMENT OF UNESCO GENERAL INFORMATION  
PROGRAM

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DECISION MADE AT THE 19TH  
GENERAL CONFERENCE, THE GENERAL INFORMATION PROGRAM  
HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED WITH AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF FEBRUARY  
24, ALTHOUGH THE STAFF HAS JUST BEEN TOLD. THE NEW PROGRAM  
CONSOLIDATES THE FORMER S & T DOCUMENTATION AND  
INFORMATION DIVISION (SECTION 2.13 OF DOCUMENT 19 C/5)  
AND MOST ELEMENTS OF THE DIVISION OF DOCUMENTATION,  
LIBRARIES, AND ARCHIVES, AND BOOK PROMOTION (SECTION  
4.16.1 IN 19C/5). IT EXCLUDES THE BOOK PROMOTION  
SECTION OF THE LATTER DIVISION. THE NEW DIVISION  
REPORTS TO J. KNAPP, DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF STUDIES  
AND PROGRAMMING WHICH IS PART OF THE DG'S FRONT OFFICE.  
ADAM WYSOCKI HAS BEEN NAMED DIVISION DIRECTOR.

2. MISS CELIA ZAHER, FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION  
OF DOCUMENTATION LIBRARIES, ARCHIEVES AND BOOK PROMOTION,  
HAS BEEN APPOINTED DIRECTOR OF A NEWLY ESTABLISHED  
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DIVISION FOR THE PROMOTION OF BOOKS AND INTERNATIONAL  
CULTURAL EXCHANGES. THIS DIVISION INCLUDES ACTIVITIES  
DESCRIBED IN 19C/5 UNDER SECTION 4.16, IN PARAGRAPH  
5053, PROJECT 4.111.8, AND PARAGRAPH 4163. IT IS  
LOCATED IN THE CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION SECTOR.

3. THE NEW GENERAL INFORMATION DIVISION HAS A TOTAL

STAFF OF 47 OF WHICH PROFESSIONAL STAFF AND FIVE (ON PAPER) VACANCIES ACCOUNT FOR 20. IT APPARENTLY WILL HAVE FIVE SECTIONS, VIZ: POLICY (HEADED BY WINTERS). STANDARDIZATION (LOHNER). INFRASTRUCTURES (SAMARASINGHE), TRAINING (ROBERTS), AND A UNIT (NO LEADER APPOINTED) FOR COOPERATION WITH UNDP. THE POLICY SECTION UNDER WINTERS WILL HAVE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE COUNCIL, THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND PUBLICATIONS.

4. THE DG APPARENTLY WILL MAKE A DECISION ON THE FIVE VACANCIES BY MARCH 10, I.E., IF THEY WILL BE FILLED OR ABOLISHED OR TRANSFERRED TO OTHER ACTIVITIES. ONE OF THE "VACANCIES" IS THAT OF TOCATLIAN (U.S.), WHO HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO THE STAFF OF MR. KNAPP. TOCATLIAN IS A P-5; THE OTHER FOUR "VACANCIES" ARE P-4'S AND INCLUDE THE POSITION OF RYBATCHENKOV, WHO HAS BEEN PUT ON ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE BY THE DG.

5. FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED AS IT IS OBTAINED. USDEL ASSUMES THAT DEPARTMENT (CORTE) WILL DISTRIBUTE COPIES OF THIS CABLE TO NSF (BURCHINALL), NATIONAL ACADEMY, NATIONAL ARCHIVES, ERDA (GOTTSCHALK), ETC.  
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